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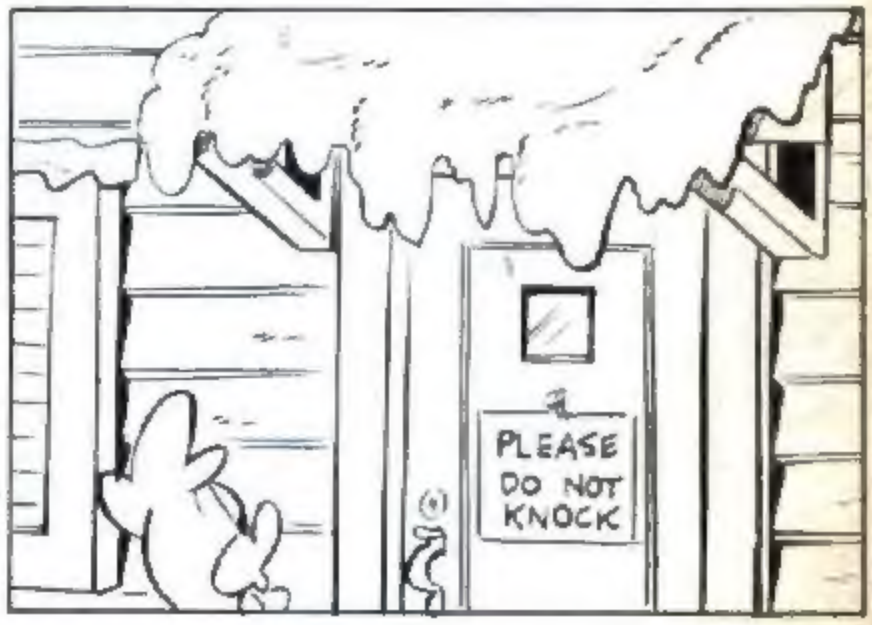

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LET'S PEEK IN ON ANDY, Th. SUPER-SNOOPER ..... HIS DOG CHEWS SKELETON KEYS INSTEAD OF BONES...

ANDY PANDA Detective Agency — FINE SLEUTHING

GEE, I WONDER WHAT HAPPENED TO CHARLIE CHICKEN? I HAVEN'T SEEN HIM FOR WEEKS!

PRIVATE FILES

VATE SAWS

PLASMA

CRUNCH!

RING!

YI-I-I-I!! THE BURGLAR ALARM!

WHO IS IT? HANDS UP! DON'T MOVE!

PLASMA

R-R-RING!!

SHOW YOURSELF, VILLAIN, I'M... UH... HEH! HEH! IT'S ONLY THE PHONE!

PANDA DETECTIVE AGENCY... "WE VANISH YOUR TROUBLES LIKE THEY WERE BUBBLES!"

PL

WHO?... LADY FADINGLOCKS... WHO WAS THAT AGAIN?

PLEASE COME AT ONCE, MR. PANDA! I FEAR SOMETHING *TRAGIC* HAS HAPPENED!

I'LL BE RIGHT OVER MADAM... WITH MY BLOODHOUND, PLASMA, AND ALL OF MY CRIME-FIGHTING APPARATUS! BYE!

R-R-UFF!

A LADY IN DISTRESS! WE'VE GOT TO HURRY, PLASMA!

OUT TO HUNT!

AND SO WITH HIS 'SIREN' GOING FULL BLAST, ANDY IS OFF ON HIS MISSION!

THE FORCES OF EVIL ARE IN FOR A SAD DAY!

?

O-OOW-E-E-E!

GROWL CAR

SHADES OF SHERLOCK! WHAT A LAYOUT!

FADING LOCKS ESTATE

WAIT IN THE CAR, PLASMA... IN CASE I NEED YOU LATER!

RUFF!

GOOD AFTERNOON, SIR!

CHARLIE! WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE?

DIDN'T YOU KNOW? I'M LADY FADINGLOCKS' BUTLER! COME ON IN, ANDY!

WELL, I'LL BE BLACK-MAILED!

GOSH, THERE IS A SINISTER AIR ABOUT THIS PLACE!

OH, THAT! AW, THAT'S JUST DINNER COOKING!

THIS WAY, ANDY! LADY FADINGLOCKS IS IN THE DRAWING ROOM!

OKAY!

MADAM, PRIVATE EYE PANDA IS HERE TO SEE YOU!

SHE FAINTED! BRING SOME SMELLING SALTS, CHARLIE, QUICK!

AT LAST... O-O-OOO OH!

HERE, THIS OUGHT TO GET RESULTS!

HEY! THIS IS PEPPER!

KEE-CHO! AH-CHOOIE!

WELL IT GOT RESULTS, DIDN'T IT?

OH, DEAR ME! THIS HAS BEEN SO **UPSETTING**! I'M SO GLAD YOU'RE HERE, MR. PANDA!

WHAT'S WRONG, LADY FADINGLOCKS?

IT'S SO EMBARRASSING, BUT MY **FALSE TEETH ARE** MISSING AND WITHOUT THEM, I'LL BE RUINED SOCIALLY! BOO-HOO!

H-M-M-M-

"BUT, MADAM!... YOU HAVE TEETH NOW!

NO! NO! IT'S MY **PARTY** TEETH THAT ARE **MISSING**! **THEY** ARE **SOLID GOLD**, NATURALLY!

OH, ER ... NATURALLY, MADAM!

WELL, WHEN DID YOU DISCOVER THAT THEY WERE MISSING?

LAST NIGHT! RIGHT AFTER THE BIG PARTY I HAD HERE!

H-M-M-M-... A BIG PARTY, EH? THAT GIVES US A LOT OF SUSPECTS!

FIRST, I WANT TO QUESTION **ALL** THE SERVANTS!

SUMMON CHARLETTE THE MAID!

YES, MAAM, COMIN' UP!

AT YOUR SERVICE, MESS-YOOR!

CHARLIE, QUIT CLOWNING AND SEND THE COOK IN HERE!

OH, COOKIE! COME ON OUT!

YOU WANT TO SPIK WITH CHEF CHARLIANNO?

YES!

WHERE DID YOU LAST SEE LADY FADINGLOCKS' GOLD TEETH?

SUNK IN A SLICE OF LEMON MERINGUE PIE!

SLURP!

CHARLIE! YOU AGAIN! C'MON, SHOW ME THE SERVANTS' QUARTERS!

WELL...

...WE DON'T HAVE ANY QUARTERS, BUT YOU CAN TAKE A PEEK AT THIS HALF DOLLAR!

CUT IT OUT, CHARLIE! I WANT YOU TO SHOW ME WHERE THE SERVANTS STAY!... PLEASE!

OKAY, OKAY!

DEAR ME!

HERE THEY ARE! WHO DO YOU WANT NEXT?

WHA... YOU MEAN YOU'RE ALL THE SERVANTS?

WAIT! ONE IS MISSING, MR. DETECTIVE!

THE GARDENER ISN'T HERE!

I'LL ROUND HIM UP!

PST... CONFIDENTIALLY, I SUSPECT THE BUTLER!

WHO? CHARLIE? I CAN'T BELIEVE IT! LET'S WAIT UNTIL I SEE THE GARDENER!

♪ I GOT TEETH THAT JINGLE, JANGLE, JINGLE! ♪

YOU CALL FOR CARLOS, SEÑOR? I THEENK?

OH, THAT BEASTLY GARDENER!

JUMPIN' JUKE BOXES, HE'S GOT GUILT WRITTEN ALL OVER HIS FACE!

I MAY NEED HELP! THIS DOG WHISTLE WILL BRING MY BLOODHOUND, PLASMA!

BUT, SEÑOR...

WHERE IS HE?

ARF! ARF!

RUFF! RUFF!

OH, GOSH! ALL THE DOGS IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD ARE HERE, EXCEPT PLASMA!

MY, WORD!

HA! THERE HE IS!

Z-Z-Z

WAKE UP, YOU LAZY DOG! I'VE GOT A SUSPICIOUS CHARACTER FOR YOU TO GUARD!

YOO-HOO! THERE HE GOES ON THE POWER MOWER, MR. PANDA!

I THEENK I CUT THE LAWN!

RUNNING AWAY IS A SURE SIGN OF GUILT! HI YO, PLASMA!

R-RUFF! RUFF!

?

GOLLY, THEES LAWN IS BUMPY... I THEENK!

!

MEN AT WORK

FASTER, PLASMA! THE REIGN OF TERROR IS SPREADING!

PUFF! PUFF!

YOU CAN'T GIVE UP NOW, PLASMA! THAT BRIDGEWORK BURGLAR WILL ESCAPE!

PANT! PANT!

A FINE BLOODHOUND YOU TURNED OUT TO BE!

R-RUFF!

U.S. MAIL

ITCHY PALMS HOTEL

HEY!

ERK! I SURE DO GOOD WORK, I THEENK!

WHIRRRR

THERE HE GOES!

ZIP!

BOOANG!

HALP!

OUCH!

CHARLIE,... YOU DIDN'T FOOL ME A BIT! I THOUGHT IT WAS YOU... BUT **WHY** DID YOU RUN AWAY?

I WANTED TO PUT YOU ON THE RIGHT TRACK! A GOOD SUSPECT LIVES HERE!

LET'S GO! WE'LL REPAIR THIS DAMAGE LATER! WHO **IS** THE SUSPECT?

COUNT MONEY, IN ROOM 501! HE DANCED WITH LADY FADINGLOCKS ALL EVENING AT HER PARTY!

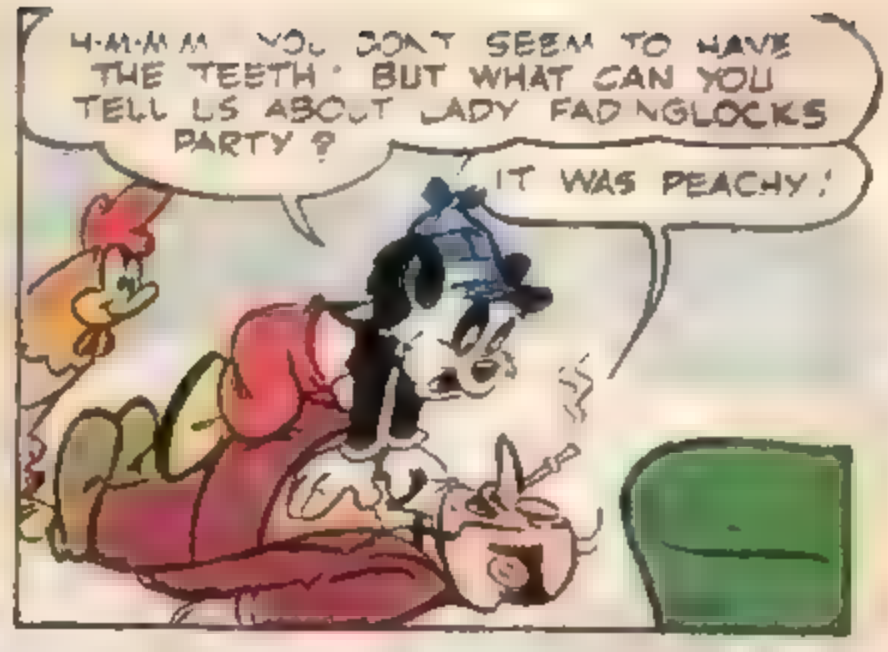
HM-M-M-

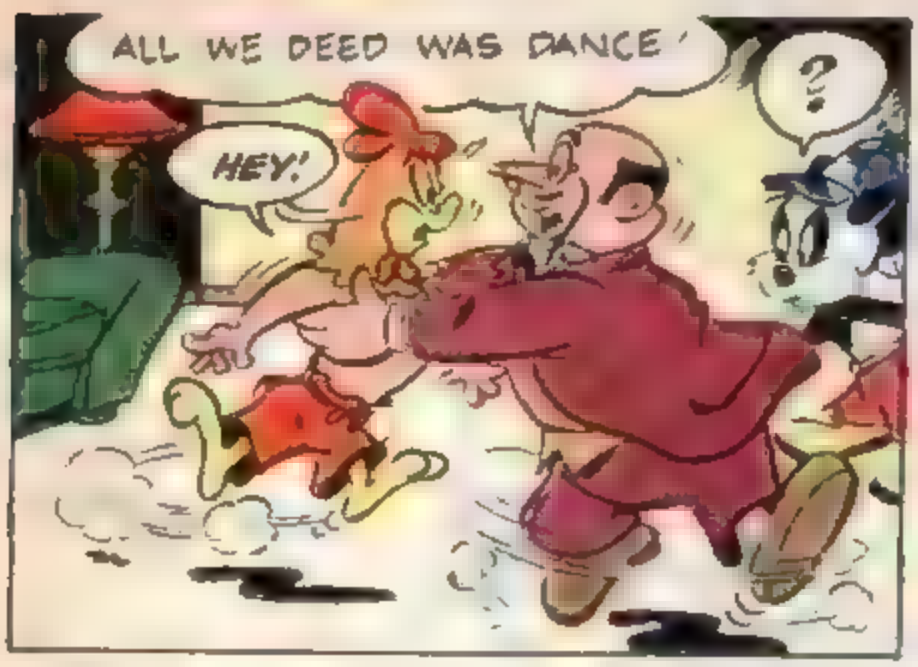
BE READY FOR ANYTHING, CHARLIE!

YOU MEAN... HIDE?

KNOCK KNOCK

ALLO CHUMS
HA ' A LITTLE GUY!


H-M-M-M YOU DONT SEEM TO HAVE THE TEETH ' BUT WHAT CAN YOU TELL US ABOUT LADY FADNGLOCKS PARTY ?
IT WAS PEACHY !


ALL WE DEED WAS DANCE '
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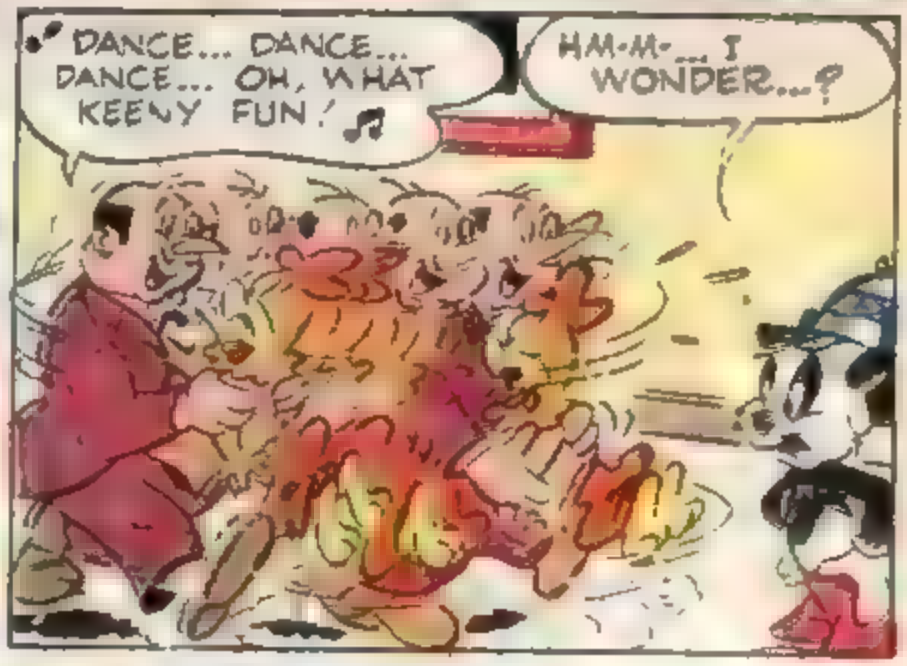
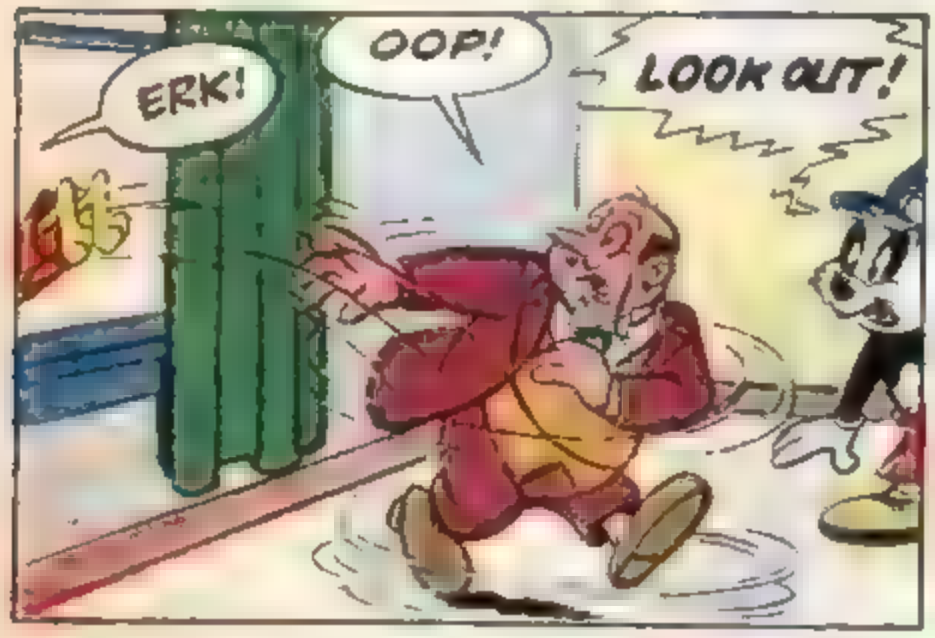
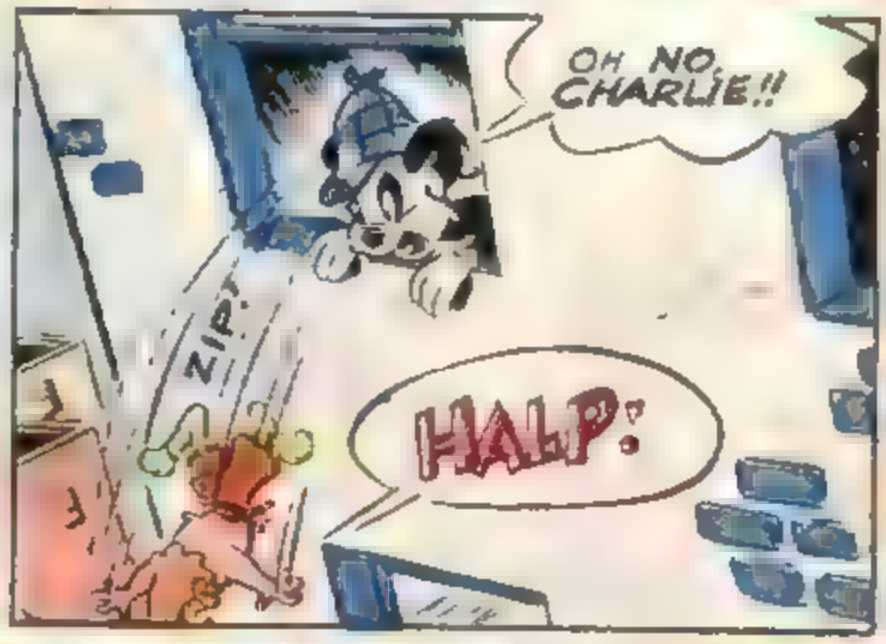
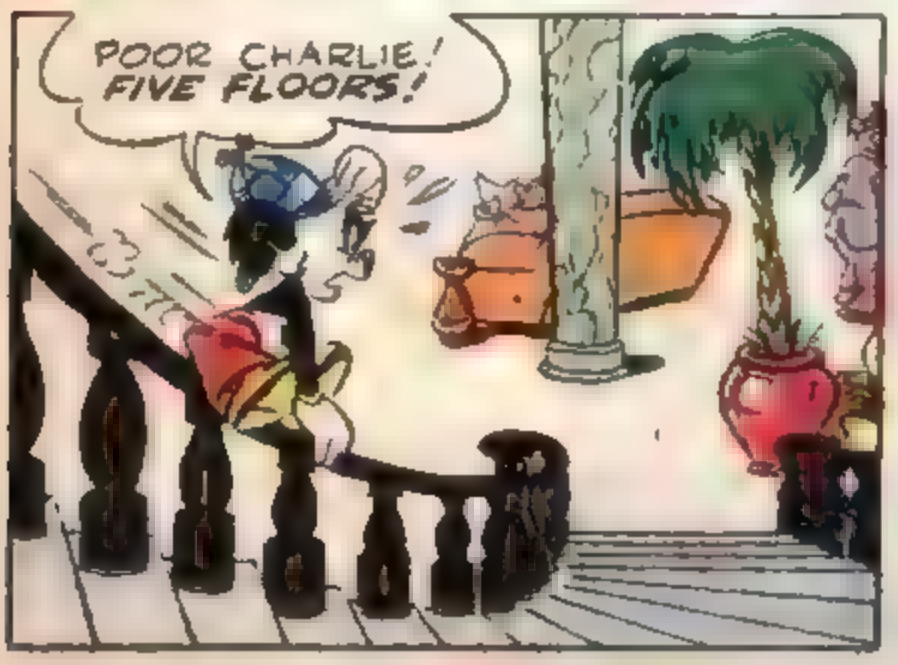
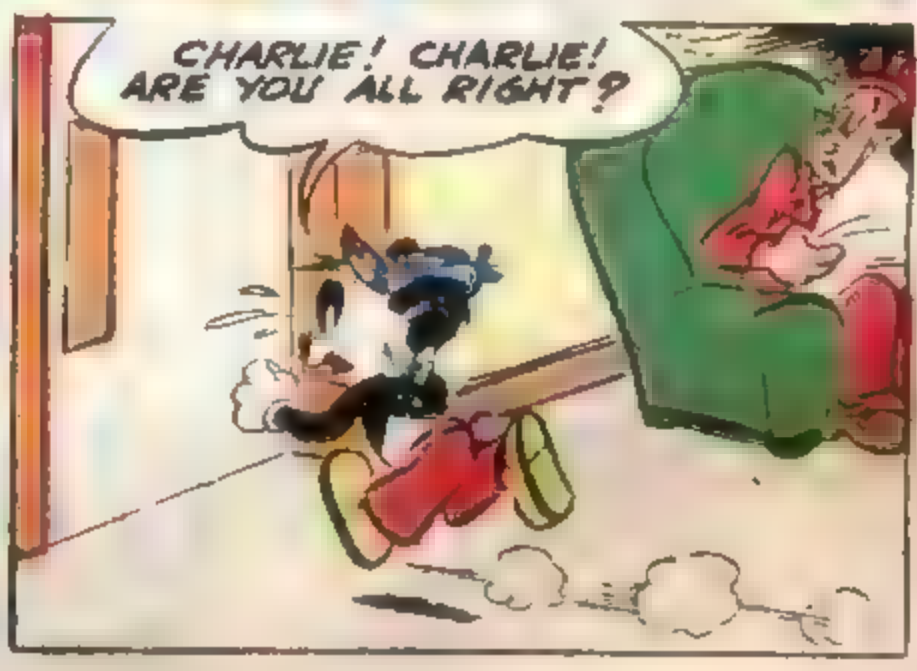
HEY!


DANCE... DANCE... DANCE... OH, WHAT KEENY FUN !
HM-M-... I WONDER...?


ERK!
OOP!
LOOK OUT!


OH NO, CHARLIE!!
ZIP!
HALP!


POOR CHARLIE! FIVE FLOORS!


CHARLIE! CHARLIE! ARE YOU ALL RIGHT?

I'M FINE, BUT I THINK TH'S FELLOW IS GETT NG A BIT BORED WITH ME!

Z Z Z

PAL

C'MON! I THINK I KNOW THE SOLUTION TO THE CASE OF LADY FADING LOCKS' MISSING GOLD TEETH!

HUH?

Z Z Z

ERK!

HEY!

WAK!

Z Z Z

WHO *DID* STEAL HER GILDED CHOPPERS, ANDY?

Z-Z-Z

WAIT AND SEE!

?

MADAM, I FEEL SURE I HAVE **SOLVED** THE MYSTERY OF YOUR MISSING TEETH!

Z-Z-Z

THE DOG HAD THEM?

NO, HE'S JUST T RED! BUT WE MUST RE-ENACT LAST N GHT'S PARTY!

HOW DIVINE!

WE MUST *DANCE!*

?

O-OH, MR. PANDA ... HOW UTTERLY THRILLING! I JUST *ADORE* DANCING!

Z-Z-Z-Z

KEEP DANCING, MADAM!

TEE, HEE!

CAREFUL... YOU TWO!

WHOOPS!!

AH, HA!

SEE! IN THE EXCITEMENT OF DANCING AT YOUR PARTY, YOU LOST YOUR GOLD "PARTY" TEETH THE SAME WAY!

BUT WHERE **ARE** MY "PARTY" TEETH, MR. PANDA?

SOME PLACE IN THIS ROOM, MADAM!

I CAN'T STAND ANY MORE OF THIS SILLINESS! I'LL SIT DOWN AND REST!

YEOW!

Z-Z-Z.

OW! GET 'EM OFF OF ME, OW!... OUCH!!

HOW DELIGHTFUL!

YOU'VE BROUGHT THE CASE TO A SUCCESSFUL **END**, CHARLIE!

End

ANDY PANDA

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WELL, ANDY,... YOU'VE COMPLETED OUR QUICK COURSE! NOW GO OUT INTO THE WORLD AND MAKE YOUR MARK!

HEH! HEH! AND SOME EXTRA MONEY, TOO, I HOPE!

YOUR FIRST ASSIGNMENT WILL SHOW WHETHER YOU'VE GOT THE STUFF!

H-M-M-M LET'S SEE!

YES, HERE'S A REQUEST FOR ONE OF OUR GRADUATES TO... ER...

A JOB? OH, BOY! THANKS, PROFESSOR!

I'LL MAKE GOOD, SIR! THE SCHOOL WILL BE PROUD OF ME! YOU'LL SEE!

ER... GOOD LUCK, ANDY!

CLASSY COLLEGE of SALESMANSHIP (The DOOR-TO-DOOR KIND)

H-M-M-M... SEE MR. DRIP... AT THE PURTY PLUMBING COMPANY!

SUCCESS AWAITS YOU

SHORTLY.

YOU'RE A BIT SMALL TO BE A DOOR-TO-DOOR SALESMAN FOR US, BOY.... BUT I LIKE YOUR ENTHUSIASM!

JUST GIVE ME A CHANCE, SIR!

ALL RIGHT... IT'S YOURS, BOY! GREAT OPPORTUNITY, YOU'LL SEE! BRAND-NEW FIELD!

NEW FIELD?

SLAP!

YESSIREE! PROGRESS... THAT'S MY MOTTO! NOBODY'S EVER SOLD **BATHTUBS** DOOR-TO-DOOR BEFORE!

ER... BATH-TUBS?

RIGHTO! YOU'LL LOVE IT, BOY! CLEAN WORK! YOU DON'T EVEN HAVE TO CARRY A LOT OF SAMPLES WITH YOU...

... JUST ONE! AND HERE IT IS!

CONK!

OW!

GO TO IT, BOY! GET OUT THERE AND **SELL!**

(GULP) YES, SIR!

WELL, WELL, ANDY PANDA! I HARDLY RECOGNIZED YOU IN YOUR NEW LID!

HI, CHARLIE!

UMM... VERY UNUSUAL HAT, I MUST SAY!

OH, DON'T BE SILLY, CHARLIE! I'M A **DOOR-TO-DOOR SALESMAN!**

HUH? IF YOU'RE SELLING **DOORS** ...WHY CARRY A BATHTUB AROUND?

BECAUSE THAT'S WHAT I'M SELLING!

BATHTUBS!

I MEAN THAT'S WHAT I'M GOING TO **TRY** TO SELL... **BATHTUBS!**

THERE! THERE! YOU DON'T HAVE TO **BEG** ME... I'LL BE **GLAD** TO HELP, CHUM!

I'LL SHOW YOU HOW TO SELL THOSE TUBS! THEY DON'T CALL ME CHARLIE **"HIGH PRESSURE"** CHICKEN FOR NOTHING, Y'KNOW!

OH, NO! IT'S GOT TO BE **DIGNIFIED!**

GLUP

WITH A **BATHTUB** ON YOUR HEAD?

? ? ? ?

WELL, RESPECTFUL, ANYWAY! YOU'RE SUPPOSED TO SAY **SIR... MADAM... PARDON ME... THANK YOU...**

... AND STUFF LIKE THAT!

HO! HO! DON'T WORRY ABOUT ME, PAL... I'LL REMEMBER!

YOU JUST HOLD THE SAMPLE, KIDDO! I'LL DO THE TALKING!

REMEMBER WHAT I TOLD YOU!

YES?

AHEM... **SIR... MADAM... PARDON ME... THANK YOU... AND STUFF LIKE THAT!**

!

WELL! NOW THAT WE GOT ALL THE RESPECTFUL-ABILITIES OUTA THE WAY... LET'S GET DOWN TO BUSINESS!

WE'RE INTRODUCING THIS HANDY LITTLE GADGET, MA'AM! HERE'S YOUR CHANCE TO **GET IN ON THE GROUND FLOOR!**

DEAR ME... A **BATHTUB!**

OOF!

YOU SAID IT, SIS! TAKE A SQUINT DOWN THESE CLASSY PIPES!

PLUNK!

CHARLIE, **NO!**

JUST SHOWING HER HOW EASY THEY ARE TO INSTALL, ANDY! A FEW SIMPLE TWISTS... AND PRESTO!

B-BUT...

OW!

AND BELIEVE YOU ME... PIPES LIKE THIS GIVE YOU ALL THE WATER YOU WANT!

STOP! I'M CONVINCED!

OOPS! SPILLED A LITTLE!

GLAWB!

YIPE!

GLUB! SPLUT! BLUB! BLUB!!

OH, CHARLIE! YOU... I... WE'D BETTER LEAVE!

BUT I'M JUST BEGINNING TO BREAK DOWN HER SALES RESISTANCE!

OOO-OH, YOU... YOU... YOU...

UNDER COVER MEN, THERE'S BEEN A CHANGE IN THE WEATHER!

BAM!

BANG!

BONG!

STOP! HELP! POLICE!

CRASH!

WHERE'RE WE GOING ANDY?

I THOUGHT YOU KNEW!

BOING!

O-O-O-O-OH... WHAT A JOLT!

BONG! BONG! BONG! BONG! BONG!

CHARLIE! THAT NOISE! WHAT ON EARTH?

OW! MY BRAINS! THEY WON'T STOP RATTLING!

BONG! BONG! BONG!

HEY! WHAT'S GOING ON AROUND HERE, ANYWAY?

OOPS! I'LL BE IN MY STUDY!

YOU HEARD ME...

JUST A LITTLE DEMONSTRATION, SIR! HEH! HEH!

BONG! BONG!

...TO SHOW HOW PURTY TUBS CAN TAKE IT!

STOP! THIS WAS A QUIET NEIGHBORHOOD!

BONG! BONG! BONG!

WELL, THAT'S BETTER! AND DON'T LET ME HEAR ANY MORE OF THAT NOISE, EITHER!

YES, SIR! I MEAN.... NO, SIR!

NO CHARLIE!

BONG! BONG!

OW! I'M FULL OF LEFTOVER ECHOS!

O-OH! IF THERE WAS ONLY SOME WAY TO HOLD YOUR HEAD STILL!

WHEW! THERE! SOME OF WOODY WOODPECKER'S HOLES COME IN HANDY!

WAK!

HEY! BUT I'M NOT A WOODPECKER!

YOU'RE NOT A DOOR-TO-DOOR SALESMAN, EITHER

POP!

FROM NOW ON, I'LL DO THE SELLING, UNDERSTAND?

YOU CAN CARRY THE SAMPLE.... IS THAT CLEAR?

CONK!

(LLP) OKAY, CHUM

HMMM... ALWAYS STRESS THE CUSTOMER'S *NEED* FOR THE PRODUCT YOU ARE SELLING!

POCKET SALES GUIDE

I'M BUSY! WHAT DO YOU WANT ?

MADAM... ALLOW ME TO REMIND YOU HOW MUCH YOU NEED A BATH...

SLAM!

... TUB!

WHAT'S THE MATTER, ANDY, ... DIDN'T SHE WANT A *BATH*..... *TUB?*

KNOW WHAT THE TROUBLE IS, PAL? LOOKIT! WE'RE LUGGING AROUND A DEMONSTRATOR MODEL... SO WE'VE *GOTTA DEMONSTRATE!*

HUH?

YOU MEAN ONE OF US SHOULD TAKE A BATH IN IT?

HOW ELSE CAN YOU DEMONSTRATE A BATHTUB?

!

OH, NO! NOT ME... IT... IT WOULDN'T BE... ER.. DIGNIFIED!

SAY! HOW ABOUT YOU, MUDFACE? WE'LL GIVE YOU A FREE BATH!

HUH? A WHAT?

WOW! IF THAT TUB CAN GET YOU CLEAN... WE'LL GET ORDERS GALORE!

HAVE YOU BLOWN YOUR TOPPER?

OH, NO, WE'RE JUST SELLING THOSE LOVELY BATHTUBS AND...

NO! NO! THERE'S TOO MANY BATHTUBS AROUND ALREADY!

THIS IS AWFUL! AWFUL! OOOH! WAIT TILL I TELL THE GUYS WHAT THEY'RE TRYING TO DO!

WELL, MY GOODNESS! NOW WHY DO YOU SUPPOSE HE GOT SO UPSET?

SHY, NO DOUBT!

OH, WELL, MAYBE WE CAN GET A FEW ORDERS WITHOUT DEMONSTRATING!

WE COULD CALL IT THE TJB THAT'S FULL OF PERSONALITY!

...IF WE COULD GET ENOUGH PERSONALITIES TO SIT IN IT!

MEANWHILE...

CLANG!

CLANG!

CLUB HOUSE

QUICK, KIDS! IT'S AN EMERGENCY!

WHAT'S UP, JOEY?

A CATASTROPHE! BATHTUB PEDDLERS HAVE INVADED OUR NEIGHBORHOOD!

WHAT? IF THEY SELL OUR FOLKS ANY MORE BATHTUBS...

...THAT'LL MEAN...

MORE BATHS!

IT'S LNCONSTITOOSH'NAL THEY'RE TRYING TO DEPRIVE US KIDS OF... LIFE, LIBERTY, AND THE ENJOYMENT OF DIRT!

WE GOTTA STOP 'EM!

IT'S THEM ...OR US!

MUNITIONS

MORE MONEY FOR YOUR OLD TUB ON A TRADE-IN! Honest Andy THE SMILING PANDA

OUR TUBS GET MORE MILES TO EVERY GALLON of WATER!

HA! HA! MAYBE WE SHOULD LOOK INTO THIS!

OH, BOY, CHARLIE! WE'RE FINALLY GOING TO GET SOME NIBBLES!...

SPLAT!

OF ? TOMATOES! ? ? ?

SPLOOK!

YOP! I WAS RIGHT THE FIRST TIME!

UH OH! I'M GETTING OUT OF HERE!

ME, TOO!

YOW, WHAT'S HAPPENING ANYWAY?

I DON'T KNOW..

...BUT IT'S SURE NO TIME TO STAND AROUND ASKING QUESTIONS

(ULP) I GUESS YOU'RE RIGHT, CHARLIE!

TRAITORS!

AFTER THEM, GANG!

WHOA! THE LAKE!

WOWY! I WISH I WAS A DUCK!

QUICK GRAB THOSE OLD BOARDS FOR PADDLES!

OH, NAVY STUFF, EH?

SHE'S A SEAWORTHY TUB, MATEY!

YIPE! HERE COME THOSE KIDS!

OUR ONLY CHANCE IS TO *UP PERISCOPES* AND...

?

STAND BY TO *SUBMERGE!*

OH, NO, CHARLIE!

POP!

GLUB! GLUB!
GLUB!
THEY CAME THIS WAY!
THEY MUST STILL BE AROUND HERE SOMEPLACE!
!
(GLUB) HERE, ANDY! IT'S YOUR TURN AT THE SNORKLE TUBE!
IT'S STARTING TO RAIN, JOEY!
SO WHAT? WE'VE GOTTA FIND THOSE TRAITORS!
(GLUB)... IT'S RAINING! BUT THEY'RE STILL **HUNTING FOR US!**
HO! HO! THEY'LL GET ALL WET!
?
...WHILE WE SIT DOWN HERE SNUG AND... (GLUB, GLUB) ... AND...
?
OH, WELL, AT LEAST, WE KNOW WHERE OUR (GLUB)... ***NEXT MEAL*** IS COMING FROM!
WOW! LOOKIT THE RAIN POUR DOWN OUR GOOD OLD MUD SLICK!
IF WE CAN HOLD OUT JUST A COUPLE MINUTES LONGER, CHARLIE... THE COAST WILL BE CLEAR!
BUT NO SIGN OF THOSE BATHTUB PEDDLERS!

THEY GAVE US THE SLIP! LET'S GO HOME!

(BLUB) SCAT! SHOO! (GLURBLE) (GLUB)

(GLUB) UH, OH! COULD THAT BE A SNAPPING TURTLE ?

OW!

COULD BE!

SOUNDED LIKE A YELL... FROM RIGHT UNDER-NEATH US!

NOPE! THERE'S NOBODY DOWN HERE BUT US FISHES!

(BLUB) TRY TO BE A LITTLE QUIETER, ANDY! I'M ON THE PHONE!

I'VE GOTTA COME UP... (GASP)... FOR AIR!

THERE THEY ARE!

GRAB 'EM!

BUT BOYS! FELLOWS! FRIENDS! CAN'T WE TALK THINGS OVER?

YAH, WHAT ARE YOU ALL SO MAD ABOUT ?

YOU'LL FIND OUT!

AT YOUR TRIAL!

TRIAL?

THERE THEY ARE, GENTLE-KIDS OF THE JURY!

JURY

HIS HONOR the JUDGE

A KID HAS A HARD ENOUGH TIME AS IT IS, WITHOUT BATHTUB-PEDDLING TRAITORS LIKE **YOU** AROUND!

MY, MY... YOU REALLY DONT LIKE THEM, DO YA?

HOW **CAN** WE? BEFORE A FELLA LEARNS TO TALK EVEN.. HE GETS **SHOVED INTO BATHTUBS!**

WITH SOAP AND WATER **IN 'EM!**

IT'S A SHOCK WE NEVER QUITE RECOVER FROM.

THE WHOLE SYSTEM IS WRONG! IT OUGHT TO BE MORE **GRADUAL!**

His honor

HAVE YOU ANYTHING TO SAY IN YOUR OWN DEFENSE..**FIEND**?

(GULP) WELL, SONNY ...ER... YOUR HONOR... IT JUST SEEMS TO ME...

THERE OUGHT TO BE SOME WAY BOYS AND BATHTUBS COULD GET.. ER.. TO BE FRIENDS!

IF THERE **WAS**, I'D BE FOR 'EM!

BUT SEEING AS HOW THERE **ISN'T**... WE PRONOUNCE YOU **GUILTY** AND...

WAIT, SONNY ER... JUDGE! I MIGHT HAVE THE ANSWER!

S N E

WHAT IF YOU ALL BZ-Z-Z BZ-Z-Z... BZ-Z-Z... AND THEN WHEN THE RAIN STOPS... BZ-Z-Z.... BZ-Z-Z-

SAY! I THINK YOU'VE **GOT SOMETHING**, CHUM!

AND SO ... MA' IN THIS DIRTY RAINY WEATHER ... WE NEED SOME MORE BATHTUBS!

IS THAT MY SON TALKING?

MOM, BUY ME A BATHTUB OF MY VERY OWN ... WILL YOU, MOM?

MY GOODNESS, IF IT WILL MAKE YOU ... ER ... WHY, OF COURSE!

ME, TOO!

YES, MA'AM! TWO TUBS! THEY'RE PRACTICALLY THERE ALREADY!

OH, YES, SIR, WE'LL SEE THAT ANDY PANDA GETS THE COMMISSION!

QUALITY PLUMBING

A BIT LATER...

THEY'VE ALL BEEN DELIVERED MR. DRIP!

BOYS WANTING BATHTUBS! I'VE JUST GOT TO FIND OUT HOW ANDY PANDA DID IT!

WELL, SIR, THEY JUST AGREED WITH ME! LASTING FRIENDSHIPS ARE BOUND TO DEVELOP...

... UNDER SUCH IDEAL CONDITIONS!

ANDY PANDA

HEY CHARLIE! HOW ABOUT COMING IN AND HELPING ME WASH THE DISHES?

BUT THIS GARDEN WILL BE A W.THERING FRIGHT, IF I DON'T WATER IT!

YOU DON'T KNOW WHAT THIS GARDEN MEANS TO ME...

LISTEN, CHARLIE ... RIGHT NOW THESE DISHES ARE DIRTIER THAN THE GARDEN!

HMM... IT'S STARTING TO RAIN ANYWAY, SO I MIGHT AS WELL GO IN!

WE NATURE LOVERS GET NO THANKS FOR OUR TOIL IN THE SOIL!

CHARLIE CHICKEN! WHAT *ARE* YOU DOING?

JUST GETTING IT OVER WITH IN A HURRY, CHUM!

YOU STOP THAT RIGHT...

HEY!

WOW! WHAT A *DISH-ASTER!*

KER-RASH!

LOOK! JUST *LOOK!* SEE WHAT YOU MADE ME DO!

I'M AFRAID TO LOOK!

BUT I MIGHT TAKE JUST ONE TEENSY, WEENSY LITTLE PEEK... *OOPS!*

SPLAT!

SPLUT! *GLUG!* SPLUT!

NOW, TAKE IT EASY, ANDY! I'LL JUST HANG IT OUT THE WINDOW!

JUST KEEP COOL AND WAIT HERE! I'VE GOT AN IDEA!

IT HAD BETTER BE GOOD!

THE ANSWER TO DISHWASHING TROUBLE IS IN THIS SOCK!

WHAT DO YOU MEAN, CHARLIE?

TINKLE — TINKLE!

I'VE BEEN SAVING THIS MONEY FOR A RAINY DAY AND THIS IS IT!

I STILL DON'T GET IT!

C'MON! WE'RE GOING TO BUY ONE OF THOSE NEW-FANGLED DISH-WASHING MACHINES!

OH, BOY!

LET'S HOP IN THE CAR AND... HEY!

UH, OH!

LOOK WHAT YOU DID, CHARLIE! THE CAR WON'T START NOW!

OH, WELL... ANYWAY WE'VE GOT *FLUID DRIVE!*

SPLOOSH!

GURGLE!

I OUGHT TO...

BETTER BE GOOD TO ME! REMEMBER— *I'M* BUYING!

SAY, THERE'S AN APPLIANCE STORE UP AHEAD!

SWELL!

BOY! THEY'VE GOT EVERYTHING FROM BATHTUBS TO BASINS!

PLUMBING

LEE K. DRAIN APPLIANCES

WHO'S IN CHARGE OF THIS SINK AND STOVE COLLECTION?

AH, SO NICE OF YOU TO DRIP— ER.. DROP IN ON US! I'M DISH-HONEST JOHN! WHAT'LL IT BE ...TWIN BATHTUBS?

NOPE...

... WE WANT TO SEE SOMETHING IN A DISHWASHER!

DISHES AND WATER ARE IN THIS ONE SIR

DISHO-MATIC

WATCH! I'LL TURN IT ON!

CLICK!

DISHO-MATIC

GOSH! IT SOUNDS LIKE A SOUP-EATERS' CONVENTION!

ISN'T THAT LOVELY?

SLUP!

SLOSH! SLURP!

SHLUP!

SLOP!

DISHO-MATIC

B-R-R-R

PARDON ME A MINUTE... I HAVE ANOTHER CUSTOMER IN THE SHOWER WAITING FOR A TOWEL!

OKAY!

WOOP!

SLOOP!

SLU

HMM... I WONDER IF THIS THING GOES ANY FASTER?

OOFT!

SLUP!

SLOOP!

DISHO-MATIC

I'LL TRY THIS KNOB!

HIGHSPEED GEAR

ERK! LOOK OUT!

B-Z-Z-Z-Z

BOOP!

BOOP!

HIDE! THAT THING'S REALLY DISHIN' OUT TROUBLE!

YI-I-I-I!

KAZOOK!

BONG!

STOP! HELP! OW!

HUMPH! WELL, ARE YOU GOING TO BUY IT, YOU DISH-DAMAGING DEMONS?

SPUT!

DISHO-MATIC

B-R-R-R-R-

SURE! IT'S OKAY IF YOU DON'T RUN IT TOO FAST! PAY THE MAN, CHARLIE!

YEAH, SURE!

OOPS!... NO MONEY! NOT EVEN A FOOT IN IT!

OH, OH!

SO!

JOKERS, EH?... GET OUT OF MY STORE!

YES, SIR!

I'M FLYING!

ERK! HE PLUGGED ME!

SLOOP!

ZOOM!

HOLD STILL, CHARLIE, I'LL PULL IT OFF!

POP!

ERK!

HURRY! WE'RE ALMOST HOME!

THAT PLUNGER INVIGORATED MY BRAIN! I'VE GOT A *TERRIFIC IDEA!*

I'M GOING TO BUILD MY *OWN* DISHWASHING DOOHICKEY!

HAVEN'T WE HAD ENOUGH, CHARLIE?

WE'VE ONLY BEGUN!

I CAN BUILD IT COMPLETELY FROM ODDS AND ENDS!

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Y'SEE... THE TUB HOLDS THE DISHES, AND THE FAN WILL HOOK ONTO THE MOTOR AND DRY THEM!

WHAT MOTOR?

THE CAR MOTOR!... FOR SUPER-DOOPER-DISH-DOING POWER IS IMPORTANT!

OH, NO!

SHORTLY...

I'M ALMOST DONE, ANDY!

HMMM...

BE READY TO SEE SOME POLISHED PLATTERS... HERE GOES!

I DOUBT IF...

WHAT TH!... ? RIGHT OUT THE DOOR!

ZOOM!

NOW I CAN DO THE DISHES AND WATER THE GARDEN AT THE SAME TIME!

EEK! FLYING SAUCERS!

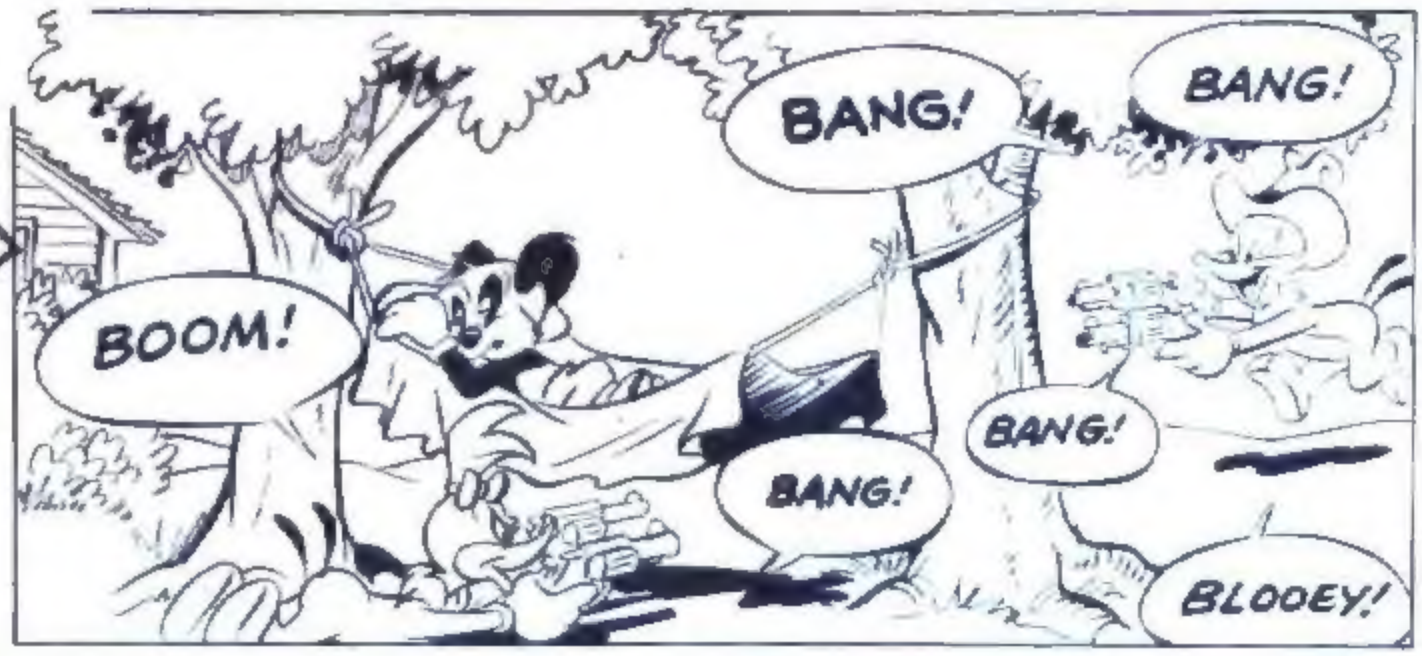
ZOOM!

PUT!

PUT!

SOMETHING TELLS ME I'D BETTER BUY SOME *PAPER PLATES!*

ANDY PANDA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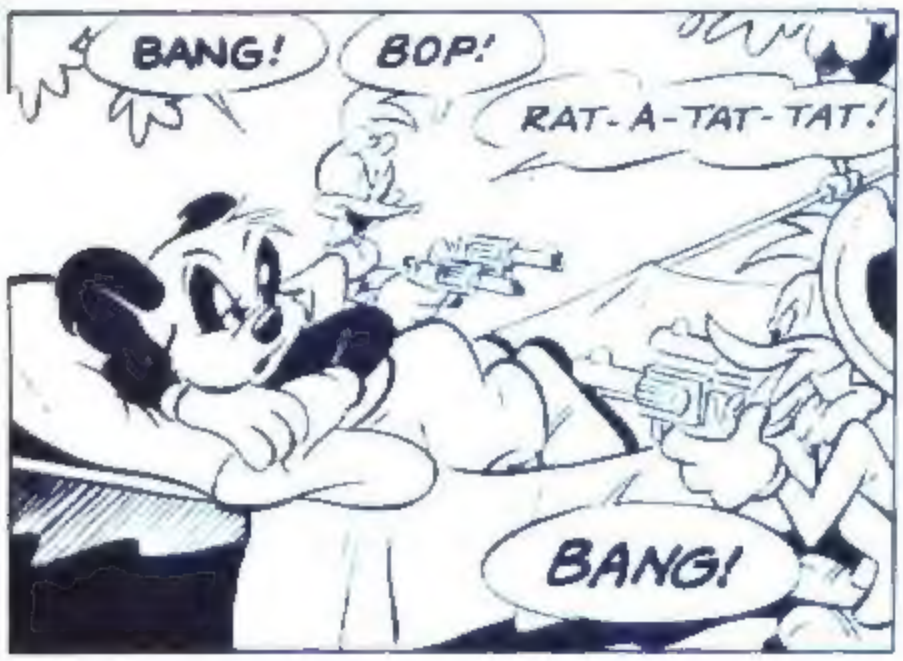
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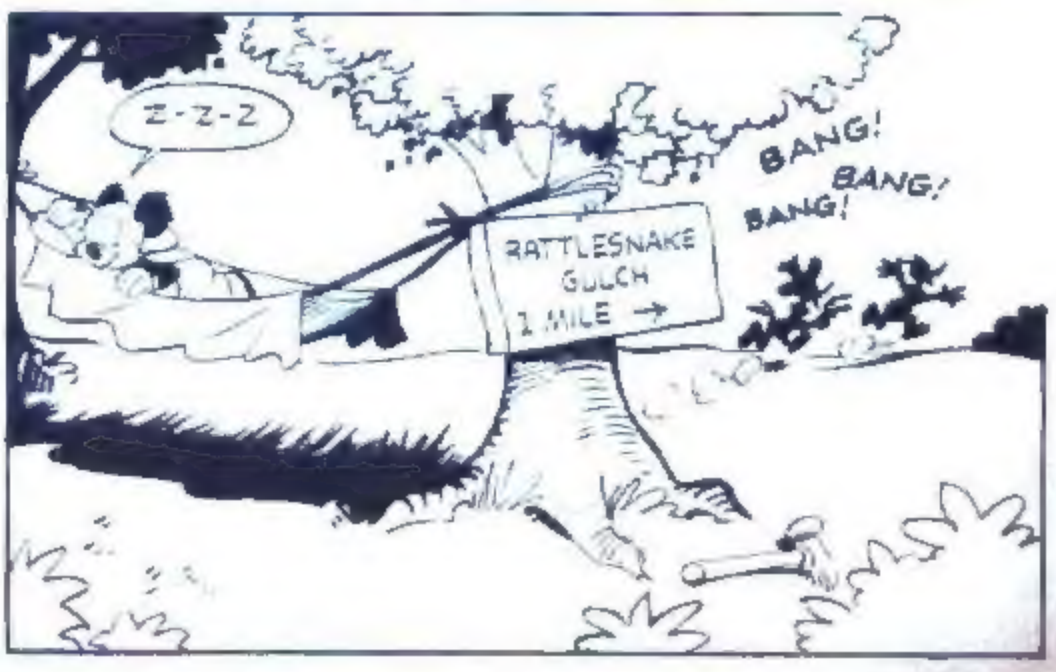
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RATTLESNAKE
GULCH
1 MILE →

ANDY PANDA

YOO-HOO, ANDY!... I WONDER IF YOU'D LEND ME A HAND HERE?

GRAB HOLD... WE'LL LIFT HER FROM THIS SIDE!

WHOSE CAR IS IT, CHARLIE?

UNCLE RED ROOSTER'S! HE LET ME BORROW IT...

NOW, HEAVE HO!

UGH!

?

THAT'S DOIN' IT!

KER-

PLOP

SWELL! THANKS A LOT, ANDY!

NOW, WOULD YOU MIND TELLING ME WHAT THIS IS ALL ABOUT?

THE ASH TRAY WAS FULL!

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